

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1-10. (Canceled)

11. (Previously presented) An objective lens drive for adjusting the tilt of an optical axis of an objective lens to be used for radiating light onto a recording medium, the drive comprising:

a lens holder for holding the objective lens;

a plurality of suspensions which are at one end thereof fixed to right and left sides of said lens holder, support said lens holder in a cantilever fashion, and are provided so as to extend in a direction perpendicular to focusing and tracking directions;

a suspension holder for supporting the other end of the plurality of said suspensions;

first and second piezoelectric elements which attach said suspension holder to a carriage, which are fixed at one end thereof to said carriage and which are provided so as to extend in the tracking direction, said first piezoelectric element attaching to a first side surface of said suspension holder and said second piezoelectric element attaching to a second side surface of said suspension holder opposite to said first side surface; and

axial support means for axially supporting said suspension holder so that the suspension holder is rotatable in a radial direction of said recording medium, wherein torque is applied to said suspension holder by means of displacement of said first piezoelectric element in a first direction and displacement of said second piezoelectric element in a second direction opposite said first direction, so that said suspension holder is rotated in the radial direction of said recording medium.

12. (Original) The drive according to claim 11, wherein said axial support means is a guide pin which axially supports said suspension holder on said carriage along the direction in which said suspension extends.

13. (Original) The drive according to claim 11, wherein said axial support means is a hinge for supporting a lower section of said suspension holder along the direction in which said suspension extends.

14. (Canceled)